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A CUTTING TIME

Though our winter trade has been exceptionally good and we we are not to be found amoag the mourners, yet we have a few goods we want to sell and the sooner they are sold the better we shall feel. We must begin to plan for the spring campaign, and want room and money to carry out the plans we formulate. To secure these two essentials we have

CUT THE HEADS OFF

the prices on our entire stock of Overcoats, Heavy Suits, Gloves, Caps, Underwear, etc. They must make way for our spring purchases, and now is thettime to buy these cold-weather goods. Don't beg off but come to the decapitating sale.

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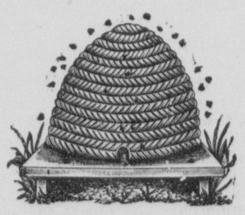
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SALMAGUNDI.

TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio—Monday, fair except light local rains on the lake; stationary temperature.

Warren Myers is at home on a visit.

Miss Mary Powell has removed to Canton.

Wm. Royer, of Canton, spent Sunday in this city.

Five parties are to be given in Canton in the near future.

The loan and building society will sell $1,000 to-morrow night.

Mr. Charles Wise has returned from a visit with friends in Leetonia.

Geo. H. Warmington, the well known Cleveland coal operator, is in the city.

T. H. Seaman and son, Dr. F. E. Seaman, are home from Pottsville, Pa., on a visit.

H. V. Kramer has added to his stables a handsome matched team of dun-colored horses.

Mr. J. D. Ellison, of Cincinnati, is visiting his mother and sister, at the Hotel Conrad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Cubbison, of Akron, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Craig, Sunday.

Senator Howells went to Youngstown yesterday and will go from there to Columbus.

Miss Graham, late of Youngstown, O., is now captain of the Salvation army of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Taggart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stover, near Canal Fulton.

There has been no improvement in the condition of Mrs. Wm. Justus,, and her recovery is very doubtful.

Mr. Geo. Sterling, of Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city, called here by the illness of Mrs. Wm. Justus.

Miss Naoma Dietz entertained a number of friends at her home, a few miles east of Massillon, Saturday night.

Mr. Jos. Wantz and Miss Mary Wentzel, both of this city, will be married tomorrow morning at St. Mary's Catholic church.

Turin Getz has returned from Leetonia, having completely disposed of the stock of dry goods which he took there to sell.

Born, this morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Maier, a daughter; consequently Officer Godfrey Maier is a happy grandfather.

Interesting services are in progress at the U. B. church. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Afternoon prayer meeting at 2:30 o'clock.

Revival services will be held in the M. E. church every evening this week. The young people's prayer meeting will open at 7 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. John G. Warwick expect to leave this week for California, and other Western states, to be gone a number of weeks.

High School Principal Malone was called to Conneaut Saturday, on business connected with the settlement of his late father's estate.

Louis Mosier, who has been a salesman in Dielhenn's grocery for a number of years, has resigned to accept a position with Russell & Co.

Mrs. Fred S. Merrick, of New Brighton Pa., who has been visiting at the residence of Captain R. B. Crawford, returned home yesterday.

The Dr. Rev. Stafford, of St. Joseph's church will deliver a lecture on Shakespeare, in Music Hall, Cleveland, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 21.

A beautiful musical service was enjoyed yesterday morning, at St. Timothy's church. The quartette choir is certainly appreciated by all who hear it.

Ex-Councilman Abe Saybolt, of Wooster, who travels for a Detroit stove firm, was in the city to-day on business. Mr. Saybolt is the son-in-law of Fred Hookway.

Bert Hankins, on Saturday, skated from Canal Fulton to this city, distance nine miles, in thirty-five minutes, which is claimed to be the best record on the ice between the two points.

After service at St. Timothy's church, Sunday morning, the congregation remained to vote on the question of changing the hour of opening to 11 a. m. It was decided to make no change at present.

The Bennett & Moulton opera company sing all this week, in Canton. The organization is not as strong as it was a few seasons ago, when pretty Della Fox and Tom Ricketts were among its members.

The marriage of Mr. David Kerstetter to Miss Clara Bean will take place Tuesday evening. A reception will be given the couple on Thursday evening at the home of Mr. Kerstetter, northwest of town.

A progressive ladies' luncheon was given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Bulley, of Canton. There were five small tables, each designated by some color, there being a general change of seats with every course.

The U. C. D. club will meet to-night at the residence of A. T. Skinner. The topic, "Internal state of Rome between the two Punic Wars—including the commencement of literature, popular games and festivals, and change in manners, religion and constitution," will be presented by Mr. E. D. Wileman.

Veterinary surgeon W. E. Groff, while skating on the canal Saturday evening, broke through the ice and was entirely satisfied with the involuntary plunge bath which deluged him thoroughly up to the neck

A lodge of the Junior Order American mechanics will be instituted at West Lebanon next Friday evening, H. W. Elsass to officiate as installing officer, assisted by a number of the members of the Massilion lodge.

Warren E. Russell has been elected a director of the Utah National Bank, of Salt Lake City, This financial institution has a capital of $200.000, and is one of the most important financial organizations in the territory.

The birthday of Christian Kline was celebrated at his father's residence at Crystal Springs, Thursday night, by a surprise party of about fifty friends, who indulged in dancing, etc., until 12 o'clock, when supper was served.

Mrs. Warrington Warwick and Master John arrived to-day from Pittsburg, where they spent the holidays with the Gillespie family. Mrs. A. P. L. Pease expects to go South with her mother, Mrs. Gillespie, before returning.

Sunday's Cleveland Leader contained the following item among its "On the Track" notes: "Mr. J. S. Coxey left Cleveland last night for Kentucky. He is the proudest man in the North over that wonderful son of Acolyte."

The ladies society of the Episcopal church will hold a meeting at the residence of Mrs. D. Atwater, Tuesday evening, at which arrangements will be made for an "Orange tea," to be given in the Sunday school room of the church on next Friday evening.

Akron people are wonderfully pleased with their new Albert Hall, in the Paige building, in which their dancing parties are to be given. It is said to be more perfect in its many appointments than any similar hall in this part of the state. Over 500 invitations were issued to the opening party, last week.

A young man rushed into the Independent Company's store, the other evening, and quite breathless, asked for a piece of chalk. Hastily snatching one he bit off a large part of a stick, ate it, and seemed satisfied. "Best thing in the world for heartburn," he said, and his prescription is given for what it is worth.

Messrs. E. C. Merwin and Samuel G. Rigdon returned yesterday from Milwaukee. Mr. Rigdon will remain here. Mr. Merwin, as has been previously stated, will leave, Tuesday, with his family and sister, for Portland, Ore., there to take charge of Russell & Co.'s branch house. Under the circumstances solid train loads of machinery may be expected to leave the Massillon works for the Pacific coast monthly instead of semi-annually.

Major McKinley has promised to attend the Ohio Republican League banquet at Toledo on Lincoln's birthday. Many other distinguished Republicans will be present, and the committee have hopes of securing Col. Ingersoll to respond to the toast, "Abraham Lincoln." The indications are that the Toledo banquet will excel all that have heretofore been held. The political brethren at Toledo are sparing neither labor or expense to render the occasion enjoyable for all that attend.

IN POLICE CIRCLES.

A Sunday Evening's Diversion and How it Terminated.

An episode which would be entitled to choice location in the Police Gazette, took place in the suburbs of the city yesterday. A venerable and highly esteemed lady left home Saturday on a visit to friends at a distance, leaving a young and worthless son in charge of the residence. He conceived the idea that it was an opportune time to entertain a few of his intimate friends and boon companions and he invited Lake Tasker, Ed. Lomady and Mrs. Jim Johnson, the notorious. This select trio accepted the invitation, with the result that orgies which will not bear description ensued until night, when the horrifying festivities were summarily abbreviated by the advent of another son, an eminently respectable citizen, who promptly made a motion that the convention do now adjourn, and saw to it that there was not a dissenting voice.

The officers were informed of the situation after sine die adjournment, located the woman in the case in a boarding house, and locked her up in the city prison. Tasker and Lomady will answer to the mayor this evening.

Before the Mayor.

John Paul, jr., appeared Saturday evening and pleaded guilty to a charge of "fast and careless driving to the annovance of citizens," and paid the costs, $3.60.

Pet Stock Prizes.

Prizes were awarded M. W. Heyman, of this city; at the pet stock exhibition, which closed at Cleveland Saturday evening, as follows: White Crested Black Polish, first on hen, Bearded Silver Polish, second on cock, third on hen, first on hen, second on hen, tie; Golden Wyandots, second on cock, second on hen, first on pullet, first on breeding pen, first on hen, third on pullet. Sydney Stephens, of Canal Fulton, took prizes as follows on Silver Spangled Hamburgs: First on cockerel, tie, second on cockerel, second on hen,, first on pullet, second on pullet, second on breeding pen. Eli Shetler, of Navarre, on Barred Plymouth Rock, was awarded second on cock.

Boys' watches for from $4.50 to $6.00 at Von Kanel's.

Sugar at bottom prices. Dielhenn Bros.

Siverware given away at A. J. Wire's.

ACT OF A HUMAN BRUTE.

HE TURNS HIS WIFE OUT ON A COLD NIGHT.

Carpenter George W. Rhodes Turns His Wife, Scantily Clad, Out of the House at four o'clock in the Morning After Threatening to Kill Her.

The officers were called upon, about four o'clock Sunday morning, by a lady who was laboring under considerable excitement and was not strictly clad as the severity of the weather required. She did not have a dress on, the only substitute for one being an old and torn skirt; she was minus stockings and her shoes were not buttoned; her body was protected only by an undergarment; and a calico apron covered her head and shoulders. Trembling with fear and cold the woman related a story which seemed incredible in this advanced stage of civilization, but which the officers found, upon investigation, to be strictly true.

In brief, the startling tale was that her husband had come home drunk, displayed a knife, threatening to kill her, and wound up his exhibition by turning her out of the house. She gave her name as Mrs. Rhodes and stated that she lived in Paul street, which runs north from Cherry street between East and Prospect streets. The officers accompanied the distressed woman to her home and found the door locked. It was opened after a little parleying, and the husband was found playing with his little boy as innocently as though nothing unusual had occurred. The wife reiterated in his presence the tale she had told the officers about her husband having threatened and made demonstrations to kill her, charging that this was not the first time, and the allegations were not denied.

Mrs. Rhodes told the officers that at one time her husband came home intoxicated when she was in bed, seized her by the hair, threw her head back and, flourishing an open knife, threatened to kill her and the children. The woman was a widow before she married her present husband and has a young daughter, the fruit of her first marriage. She declared that she had threatened to leave him several times and reconsidered her decision, but would not now live with him any longer.

The brutal husband was taken to the city prison and passed the night there. Sunday morning he appeared before the mayor and told a smooth story to the effect that it was about 12 o'clock at night when his wife voluntarily left the house and he supposed she had gone to a neighbors. He also urged that nothing be said about the difficulty, as his employer, Chas. B. Heckman, was sick in bed, he was in charge of the carpenter work, and feared the knowledge of his conduct would worry Mr. Heckman. The mayor released him on his own recognizance to appear at 7:30 this evening.

The man's name is Geo. W. Rhodes and he removed here from Canton.

FIRE AT ELM RUN MINE.

Considerable Property Loss at the Above Shaft Sunday Morning.

At an early hour Sunday morning a fire of unknown origin played considerable havoc, directly and indirectly, at the Elm Run mine. It started in the frame engine house, was beyond control when discovered by the night engineer, and destroyed the building. The frame foundation on which the engine rests was badly charred, but the engine was not materially damaged. Ed Swihart, the engineer, lost his clothes, thirty dollars in his pockets, and a gold watch chain. The rope used for hoisting the cages was burned, allowing the cages to fall to the bottom of the shaft, and the damage from that cause cannot be ascertained until they can be reached. The running of the mine is necessarily stopped until new rope can be secured, which will probably take a week's time, hence the indirect loss will be great. No insurance.

A City Destroyed by Fire.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

DENER, Colo., Jan. 19.—The city of Alasa has been almost destroyed by fire Loss $225.000.

LATER.—2 p. m.—Another explosion has just occurred in the Hotel Marvin ruins and H. C. Baker, a plumber, was dangerously hurt.

A National Bank Closed.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 19.—The American National Bank has closed its doors. Liabilities $1,500,000. The occasion has caused a run to be made on the other banks.

Fire in Findlay.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

FINDLAY, O., Jan. 19.—Fire broke out in the Hotel Marvin ruins at noon today, and did $500 damage.

The Order of Adelpha applicants and those in any way interested in this order are notified to be at A. O. U. W. hall, Tuesday, Jan. 20, at 8 p. m.

J. W. CARNES,
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For cheapest and best pie fruit try our Morello pitted cherries. 3 lb cans for 25 cents. Dielhenn Bros.

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Country dried apples, peaches and apple-butter at A. J. Wire's.

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This Date in History—Jan. 19.



JAMES WATT.

1473—Birth of Nicholas Copernicus, celebrated astronomer; died 1543.
1730—Death of William Congreve, dramatic poet; born 1670.
1736—Birth of James Watt, Scottish mechanician, engineer and inventor, improver of the steam engine; died 1819.
1812—Battle of Ciudad Roderigo, between the French and British, and defeat of the former.
1968—Death of Isaac Disraeli, miscellaneous writer; born 1767.
1861—Secession of Georgia.
1862—The Confederates defeated in the battle of Mill Springs, Ky., and Gen. Zollicoffer killed. Confederate loss, 400 men, 1,200 horses and other valuable property.
1868—James T. Dick, artist, died in Brooklyn, N. Y.; born in New York city, 1834.
1871—Great sortie from Paris of Gen. Trochu, and 100,000 men repulsed with loss of about 1,000 dead, 5,000 wounded.
1878—Adrianople occupied by the Russians, and on the 31st an armistice signed between the Russians and Turks, war having lasted from April 12, 1877, to March 3, 1878.
1889—The mahdi's forces defeated on the White Nile by Emin Pasha's troops.

The senators are discovering that there can be such a thing as too much deliberation.

Findlay has had its natural gas disaster. There is nothing so good as Massillon coal.

If we are to have a city hall, which seems highly probable, why not a ground floor theatre as a part of it? Other towns have followed this plan, notably Wooster.

The Alliance Review says that the analysis of the vote on Nov. 4, 1890, showed that the total student vote was 49, divided politically as follows: Democrats, 13; Prohibition, 7; Republican 29. The Review challenges John E. Monnot to prove his allegation that "the students had their tuition paid for voting for McKinley." Mr. Monnot will not furnish proof, of course, Men like Monnot exist only to make charges.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer has this, from Columbus:

"Representative E. E. Dresbach, the ministerial member from Stark (Pickaway) and one of the polished orators of the house, has concluded to forswear future political engagements and enter upon the practice of the law. He will not, therefore, be a candidate for re-election in November next."

It is unfair in the pious poker player to refuse to permit an enthusiastic constituency to cast their suffrages for him.

The Cleveland Leader of to-day contains a lengthy editorial complaining of the present facilities for caring for the insane of the state, many counties now being taxed to support asylums, while the insane of such counties are in the county infirmaries. The Leader urges the building of a new institution located somewhere in the territory east of a line drawn from Cleveland, due south to the Ohio river. THE INDEPENDENT is disposed to believe that The Leader's proposition is being weighed in some statesmen's minds, even now, and it will be pardoned in suggesting that there is no more appropriate place in the area mentioned for a state institution than the town of Massillon.

In Contra Costa county, Californai the citizens have taken the initiatory in a movement looking to the naming of county roads, and the numbering of the houses thereon. One can imagine the convenience that will result.

„The road names by this committee were selected for their appropriateness, and have signs which will determine what they are at once. By the "Exit" suffixed, is means a road which ends at a river or seaboard landing where there is no bridge or ferry. By a "Local" is meant a road having no outlet and used for local convenience only. A "Connex" is a short road having no branches, but simply connecting two principal roads. With these marks each road is identified by the guide boards, which are to be numerous and serve the purpose which the finger post so often fails in doing."

The residences are numbered according to a sensible system, and when the plans are all carried out, strangers can find their way in Contra Costa county and can calculate distances, with even greater ease, than in any well laid out city. Is it possible to include something of this sort, in the contemplated change in Ohio road improvement laws?

The Neighborhood Press.

A HOG AS IS A HOG.

Jacob Maurer, of near Bolivar, sold a nice little Poland China pig to Bierly & McKee, Monday, that tipped the beam at 640 pounds net. Mr. Pork rode in a wagon as far as Zoar and then walked to Mineral Point. His hogship was of such dimensions that he could not turn himself in the wagon-bed, and so they had to ease him down the incline backward. No, he wasn't such a very big hog—that is, for this section of the country. It's a fact 'though, that he was rather a fair sized shoat.—Mineral Pointer.

THAT SETTLED IT.

The Toledo Blade makes the discovery that the Indians surrendered upon hearing that the Seventeenth Regiment O. N. G. had volunteered its services.—Canton Repository.

The Lights o' London.

The Rutledge Company turned many away from the doors of the opera house Saturday evening, when the closing play of the week's engagement was "The Lights o' London." Undoubtedly this is the strongest drama in the company's repertoire, the cast being admirably made up, especially as affected the three leading parts, taken by Messrs. Rutledge, Richards and Adams. The English dialect of Mr. Bailey was in itself very excellent. Lida Richards as Tiny Tim developed surprisingly and won golden opinions. Her part as a lame wait of London was very trying, yet was evenly and conscientiously carried out. The postal laws of the United States governing lotteries permit no mention in detail of the prizes disposed of after the fall of the curtain.

The Griswold Fund

The Rutledge Company's benefit matinee Saturday resulted in an addition of $26.50 to the orphan's fund. A large part of the gross receipts was the result of the work of the energetic little newsies and the carriers of THE INDEPENDENT who are entitled to hearty thanks for their successful endeavors. The condition of the fund raised directly by THE INDEPENDENT, not including the matinee receipts, or other special subscriptions, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, was as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$113 50
Cash	25
Total to date	$113 75

A Word from Greensburg.

GREENSBURG, PA., Jan. 18.—We left the city of Massillon on Monday and arrived here on the limited train. Greensburg is the county seat of Westmoreland county and is situated on the main line of the Pennsylvania railroad system and also one of its branches. This place is full of business and the streets are lighted by natural gas. There are electric street cars, and good streets, also a good upply of water through here by pipe line from a mountain street in the Chestnut Ridge. The town is situated high and dry, the Pennsylvania railroad running under it through a large tunnel. On Monday of this week the administration changed and the town is again Democratic. It has been in Republican hands the past few years, but as this is a strong Democratic county, the change now is not remarkable. J. M. FISCUS.

The Climax of Woe.

I sat down because the sleeper reeled
Like a skiff on the top of a billow,
And waited and longed for the bed to get peeled,
When the colored boy swallow the pillow.
—Ashland Press.

He Was.

"I tell you I won't put another blamed cent into the business," he said.

"Don't talk so loud, Mr. Bullion," urged the other, "the clerks down stairs will hear you."

"What of it? It's no secret," roared Mr. Bullion. "They know I'm the silent partner."—Chicago Tribune.

First and Last.

The first step often shakes and starts a man
When he would climb ambition's lofty stair;
But it never tries him like a last step does
When in the dark the last step isn't there.
—Philadelphia Times.

Then and Now.

Warren Chambers—So Cashier Morral has gone wrong. They say he has been stealing for fifteen years.

Barclay Murray—Why, when they investigated his books a year ago I thought he came out of the ordeal unspotted.

Warren Chambers—He did; but they've spotted him now.—Puck.

Sad.

What disappointments from it grow—
That cigarette;
The dude who smoked it months ago
Is living yet.
—Washington Post.

A Happy Man.

Deland Doubleyou (in Wall Street)—Yesterday I saw you jumping out of the exchange with your hair on end. Now you look as sleek as a parson. Have things been coming your way?

Phil A. Reading—Well, I should say so! I succeeded in borrowing $10,000 on that jump.—Puck.

Always Short.

"I'm short," this was his cry through life;
And even at his death,
The doctors, after wordy strife,
Declared him short of breath.
—Washington Post.

Protection.

First Matron—What safeguard against burglars have you in your house?

Second Matron—All our things are imitation.—Harper's Bazar.

Hope for Him.

They said he was a man of ice,
Who no good feeling ever felt;
And yet he'd seem to be a nice
And easy sort of man to melt.
—Harper's Bazar.

No Room for Doubt.

Judge—How do you know the prisoner made a great disturbance?

Policeman—He woke me up.—Detroit Free Press.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

A BIG FIRE BREAKS OUT AT OSNABURG.

The Agricultural Society Discourages the New Fair Ground Project—A Healthy Financial Condition—The Dueber Case.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

CANTON, O., Jan. 19.—Fire at Osnaburg, this county, late last night, destroyed the residence of a man named Hale, Schanefele's shoe store, the house of Dr. Faulke and the postoffice. The loss will reach $4,000, on which there is but slight insurance. The fire originated in Hale's house, the family narrowly escaping asphyxiation. A twenty-year old son threw two small children out of a second-story window, then jumped from the roof and worked all night at the fire in his bare feet and night clothes.

At the meeting of the Stark County Agricultural Society Saturday, Treasurer Wise reported as follows: Receipts: State orders, $400; Lyde Ret., $2.25; received from J. F. Roth, $1,773 99; received from J. F. Niesz, $1,503 85; sale of tickets, $6,332 40; grand stand, $472.90; total, $10 485 39. Disbursements: Orders paid, $4,899.58; premiums, $3,473 85; over draft Dec. 31, 1889, $842.35; balance, $1,307.11. The decision to defer the removal of the fair grounds has killed that project for some time, perhaps years.

The Turntag of the Lade Erie Turnbezirk met here yestegday. About seventy turners from Cleveland and Akron were present, and exercises were held in Turner hall.

Another conference will be held between the Dueber works assignee and local managers and the Cleveland creditors this week, with a view to arranging final matters looking to the raising of the assignment. Both the watch and case works are in operation with a large number of employes.

Ephraim J. Sprankle has been appointed executor of the estate of Jacob Killinger, of Jackson township.

William Lemon has been appointed guardian of Alonzo Knapp, of Canton.

Michael Quinlan has filed papers in common pleas court asking for the sale of land now held by Jacob Muller, Fred Pauli and John Hairen and located in Mahoning county.

The special committee of the Canton Press Club, Messrs. Hathaway, Ashenhurst, Voges and Ballard, appointed to select quarters for the club, decided upon a suite of rooms at the Grand opera house, on the second floor over the main entrance. The rooms will be furnished with all the conveniences necessary for the club and files of the leading daily papers kept. The rooms will be ready for occupancy in about two weeks.

SESSION OF THIRTY HOURS.

The Senate No Further Advanced to Final Action on the Elections Bill Than at the Opening of the Session.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—After thirty hours continuous session, the senate finds itself no further advanced to final action upon the elections bill than when it entered upon its consideration at the beginning of the second session of the Fifty-first congress, now rapidly drawing to a close. Notwithstanding his long vigil Mr. Faulkner was in good voice, and when not quoting from his books spoke with earnestness. He concluded at 10:30 o'clock, having held the floor for almost twelve hours. Mr. Daniel followed in a long speech against the bill. Mr. Stewart gave notice of a

Motion to Recommit the Bill.

It is not clear how the proposition made by Senator Stewart, to recommit the elections bill, can come before the senate as long as the present programme is kept in operation. Several unimportant amendments to the bill were adopted, when Mr. Aldrich gave notice that on Tuesday next he would ask the senate to proceed to the consideration of the resolution to change the rules of the senate. The bill was then laid aside, and the senate, at 6 o'clock, adjourned.

SMUGGLED OPIUM CAPTURED.

It is Taken from an Express Wagon in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 19.—Between 400 and 500 ponnds of opium, valued at about $7.000, was seized at Broadway wharf, Oakland, Saturday, while being taken aboard the ferryboat for San Francisco in an express wagon. The driver of the wagon said he had been directed by a man giving the name of Henry Rule to bring the opium to this city, where the latter would dispose of it.

The Policeman Go Much for Him.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Thomas Buckley, a blacksmith, living at 197 North Halstead street, shot and probably fatally injured his wife, yesterday morning. Shortly afterward a policeman visited the Buckley home and found Buckley in bed half clothed and his wife sitting in a chair a short distance from the bed, apparently stupefied with drink. Buckley sprang at the officer and attempted to shoot him, but was knocked down and overpowered on the arrival of other officers. Mrs. Buckley was found with a bullet hole in her head and was removed to the county hospital where slight chances of recovery are given.

Where I is Sold.

THE INDEPENDENT may be obtained daily at the Independent Company's store; Waverly Hotel; Hotel Conrad; E. C. Hering, West Tremont street; C. Witt, Short East street; Gilbert N. Porter, South Erie street; Henry Kline, West Main street; James Parks, W. & L. E. depot.

The want column continues to fulfil its destiny. Every day houses are rented, lots sold, situations obtained, help secured, lost articles recovered and articles found restored.

25 per cent. reduction on all holiday stock—books, albums, plush and leather goods, lamps, brass goods, etc. The Independent Company.

Latest designs in ladies' small-sized gold watches at C. F. Von Kanel's.

The want column is authority on "situations and help wanted."

Sure results follow by having your "wants" made known.

Tiddledy winks at the Independent Co.'s.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

The wheels are again in motion, and everybody comes up refreshed and smiling after the rest of another Sabbath day, ready to take their part in another week of the great drama.

Remarks highly commendatory of the newsy appearance of Saturday's INDEPENDENT are heard among its many readers here.

The large building until recently known as the automotic and farm engine erecting department, of which Mr. A. P. Conlon was foreman prior to his removal to the new farm engine erecting room in the new building, is now used for the erection of automatic engines only, and thus gives the room long needed, and which is made necessary by the increasing importance of this branch of manufacture. The walls in this department are being changed from a murky grey to a clean and wholesome white, which is a great improvement in the way of light, and forms a background which sets the machinery of to advantage. This department is presided over by Mr. Harry Clay, the namesake of a noted American statesman.

Fred R. Forster, district deputy, and member of the board of trustees of the grand council of the C. M. B. A. of Ohio, has made his annual report as district deputy of Branch No. 4, of this city, and installed the officers for the ensuing term.

Mr. John Watters, who constructed the little engine now in the window of the Independent Company's store, has received many compliments from his friends and shopmates for the skill and the completeness of finish shown in his work.

Ira Dean is acquiring a reputation of a tooth puller, though it is not believed that those who have tested his skill would recommend his methods. The other day his friend Shallenberger entered his office after the noon whistle blew and requested his services in the extraction of a troublesome moler. Mr. Dean procured a rope, so the story goes, and securely fastening it to tooth in question, placed the patient outside of the office, passed the rope up over the office and down through the opening for the bell rope, and going on the inside closed the door, so as not to have his nerve weakened by the distressed appearance of Mr. Shallanberger's face, gave a pull and waited for the result; but hearing no noise and fearing the consequence of the delicate operation, peered out to find the tooth dangling in the air and its former possessor over at the fire, which is opposite, and whither he had taken a somersault from the impetus of the jerk. After washing his face, Mr. Shallenberger expressed much satisfaction with the vigorousness of the operation, but he thought that Dean could improve on his method by hitting a man on the head with sledge to begin with.

Fred Forster has appeared among his friends bereft of his long flowing beard, and with a set of mutton chop whiskers that give him a fiercely military appearance.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

M. Pankow, principal of the National school for girls, in Berlin, has been arrested on a charge of criminal intimacy with certain of his scholars.

Mrs. Hattie Hechter, a destitute widow at Lehigh, I. T., choked her two children to death, then jumped into a spring with the two bodies and drowned.

Patrick Forrestell, until last October a trusted clerk of Simpson, the New York pawnbroker, is under arrest for the theft of $8,000 worth of diamonds from his employer.

The Kansas Citizen Alliance, the new auxiliary to the farmers' organization, has been organized in Topeka, and has called a national convention to meet at Cincinnati in March.

Sydney advices, received by the steamer Zealandia, state that Joe Choynski, of San Francisco, and Joe Goddard, of Australia, have been matched to fight before the Sydney Athletic club for a purse of £350.

The celebrated scientist and Alpine explorer, Prof. Tyndall, is lying seriously ill at his home at Hind Head, and great anxiety prevails in scientific circles, as he is one of the most brilliant lights of advanced science.

It is a curious fact in connection with Denmark that, while cremation is making headway throughout Europe and is daily gaining more advocates among the broad thinkers, the supreme court of that country has just prohibited the practice.

It is stated in St. Petersburg, as coming from what may be regarded as an authoritative source, that the internal policy of Russia during the current year will be marked by a highly protective tendency. If only a tithe of the projects which are being elaborated by the ministry of finance are adopted, the duties on foreign imports will become prohibitive.

A Tremendous Explosion.

OMAHA, NEB., Jan. 19.—At 9 p. m. a tremendous explosion shook the buildings at the corner of Twenty-first and Cummings streets, and when the smoke cleared away in was discovered that the old frame building accupied by Klein & Speigel as a wholesale liquor store was completely demolished, together with a $12.000 stock of liquors. In the ruins the body of an unknown man was found burned to a crisp. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Farmers to Build a Market.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the White township branch of the Beaver County Farmers' alliance it was decided to establish a market house in Beaver Falls, provided the citizens of the last named place will cooperate with them financially. The farmers argue that a market house would be a big benefit to both producers and consumers.

An Unfavorable Change Feared.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19. — Senator Hearst's physicians last night reported little or no change in their patient's condition. He is, however, critically ill, and an unfavorable change is feared almost any hour or day.

The Idea!

"Henry!" cried Mrs. Von Toodles, grasping her somnolent husband by the arm, "Henry, there are burglars in the house! Get up and go down!"

"Utter nonsense, my dear," returned Henry. "You wouldn't have a man of my social position associating with burglars, would you? You astonish me!"—Black and White.

A PROPOSED CREAMERY.

SOMETHING OF INTEREST TO STARK COUNTY FARMERS.

A Cheese and Butter Factory to Consume the Product of 3,000 Cows—A Company to be Organized and a Local Plant Equipped.

A party under charge of J. M. Brent, consisting of M. J. Briggs, R. E. Sturgis, H. F. Harris, and Joseph Gray, are at the Hotel Conrad, and expect to remain there several months, making Massillon their central point, from which to circulate. They represent Davis & Rankin builders of the Elgin system creameries and cheese factorie, and it is their purpose to organize here, and at other points, local companies, to which they will turn over plants ready for operation, and supplied with expert operatives.

These creameries and cheese factories, wherever built, have a tendency to revolutionize that branch of the farming industry, by making it an object to the producer to sell outright his milk, to be converted, by mechanical and more perfect processes, into cheese and butter. The claim is that the producer secures an enhanced price for his milk, and this the manufacturer is able to pay, being in a position to obtain more butter from a given quantity of milk, and better butter at that. The centrifugal agitating process, by which the cream is separated from the milk, results in obtaining all the cream, while the cruder method, necessarily employed on the farm, saves much less. In other words, the average farmer makes three pounds of butter from 100 pounds of milk, while the manufacturer makes four and one-half pounds.

The gentlemen who are prepared to carry out this enterprise say that the manufacturers can afford to pay ninety cents per 100 pounds for milk, which is thirty per cent. more than the average farmer now receives, 100 pounds of milk being equal to fifty quarts. In addition to getting more money the farmer gets back the skim milk, except during the cheese season of three months. Creameries have been arranged for in Galion, West Salem, Orrville, Alliance, New Philadelphia, Louisville and Canal Fulton. It is proposed to erect a $10,000 establishment in this city, capable of converting the milk of 3,000 cows. The effect of such an institution, much larger than those to be built in the other towns mentioned, would be to bring people in from the country from a large circle of territory. The representatives of Davis & Rankin feel confident that they can make such a showing as will win the confidence of the board of trade, and the Stark county farmers, and that they will succeed in enlisting the necessary capital.

The Massillon Market.

Farmers are receiving the following prices to-day, January 19.

Wheat, per bu	90-93
Oats " "	45-47
Corn " "	60 65
Potatoes per bu	1 15
Butter per lb	20
Eggs per doz	24

So many have been cured of rheumatism by Hood's Sarsaparilla that we urge all who suffer from this disease to try this medicine.

Crushed limestone for walks. Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner.

Dyspepsia

Makes the lives of many people miserable, causing distress after eating, sour stomach, sick headache, heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, "all gone" feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregularity of the bowels. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet efficiently. It tones the stomach, regulates the digestion, creates a good appetite, banishes headache, and refreshes the mind.

Distress After Eating **Sick Headache** **Heart-burn** **Sour Stomach**

"I have been troubled with dyspepsia. I had but little appetite, and what I did eat distressed me, or did me little good. After eating I would have a faint or tired, all-gone feeling, as though I had not eaten anything. My trouble was aggravated by my business, painting. Last spring I took Hood's Sarsaparilla, which did me an immense amount of good. It gave me an appetite, and my food relished and satisfied the craving I had previously experienced." GEORGE A. PAGE, Watertown, Mass.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

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Combining the McKinley Tariff Bill and the Administrative Customs Act is, as its name indicates, a POCKET MANUAL, 4x7 inches, containing something over 150 pages. It may be carried in the pocket without inconvenience. It is bound in leatherette and accordingly is not easily worn. Everybody interested in the Tariff (and who is not?) will find this an invaluable book of reference. It contains the old and new duties in opposite columns. Will be sent to any address by mail on receipt of 40 cents. JOHN DANNEKER,
19-6t 1313 North Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

QUAINT NOTIONS.

In Yorkshire the English peasant if he happens to see the new moon without having a piece of silver money in his pocket immediately turns heels over head to change his luck.

In parts of Scotland if a pedestrian, on first seeing a new moon, will stop instantly, kiss his hand three times, and bow, he is quite sure to find something of value within the next thirty days.

The first visitor in a shop or market of Paris is believed by many to determine the fortunes for the day. In some cases the tradesman crosses himself with the money received and says, "God bless the hand who pays it."

In Cornwall a piece of money is exhibited to the new moon when first beheld; if this money is "the first taken on market day," is duly spit on and turned three times toward the person who shows it, good luck is almost sure to follow.

The jettatura, or evil eye, is one of the most common superstitions of Italy. To guard against this charms are worn almost universally, as they also are in Spain, Portugal, Austria, Russia and other countries to prevent disaster and bring good luck.

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BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

A cream of tartar baking powder—Highest of all in leavening strength.—*U. S. Government Report, Aug. 7, 1889*

TRAVELLER'S REGISTER.

WHEELING & LAKE ERIE RAILWAY.

North.	South.
No. 4 9 00 a. m	No. 5 1 20 p.m
No. 6 1 13 p. m	No. 7 6 40 p.m
No. 8 7 50 p. m	Local 4 00 p.m
Local 7 50 a. m	

In effect June 9th at noon.

PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO.

In effect June 15, 1890.

GOING EAST

No. 8	Daily	2 50 a m
No. 10	Daily except Sunday	7 45 a. m
No. 4	Daily	1 00 p. m
No. 20	Daily except Sunday	9 25 p. m

GOING WEST

No 1	Daily except Sunday	3 25 a, m
No. 11	Daily except Sunday	10 06 "
No. 9	Daily	11 01 a. m
No. 3	Daily	5 48 p. m
Local		8:15 a. m

Pullman dining cars are run on trains No. and 9.

For time tables, rates of fare, baggage checks, through tickets, or any further information regarding the running of trains, apply to John A Shoemaker, agent, Massillon. O.

CLEVELAND, AKRON & COLUMBUS.

Mount Vernon and Pan Handle Route at Orrville

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 35 Express..10:10 p m	No. 2 Express...10.36 a m
No. 27 Express...4:20 a m	No. 38 Express 3:34 p m
No. 3 Express...3;10 p m	No .28 Express...10:32 p m

Trains 27 and 28 run daily all other trains daily except Sunday.

Trains 2 and 3 have through day coaches and 27 and 28 through Pullman sleepers between Cleveland and Cincinnati.

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EXPLOSION OF GAS

KILLS TWO PERSONS AND INJURES MANY.

Five Minutes Later the Loss of Life Would Have Been Great.

The Gas Had Collected in an Old Cistern Under the Dining Room of a Hotel—The Unfortunates Were Blown About in Profusion, Two or Three Being Thrown Through the Windows—The Four-Story Building is Badly Wrecked—The Explosion Took Place Just Five Minutes Before the Call for Dinner.

FINDLAY, O., Jan. 19.—At 12:30 yesterday an explosion of gas, which had collected in an old cistern under the dining room of the Marvin hotel, the finest in Findlay, wrecked the rear wing of the building, killing two persons, seriously injuring several others and causing a damage to the property of probably $25,000. The gas had been leaking for several days, but an attempt to find the leak proved unsuccessful. The parties hurt were all in the room and two plumbers were under the floor looking for the escape. A few minutes before the explosion the natural gas burner in the dining room stove was lighted and it is supposed the escaping gas ignited therefrom.

Killed.

Kittie Walters, dining room girl, aged 19, instantly killed.

Ella Johnson, waitress, died shortly after being carried to a place of safety.

Injured.

Katie Rooney, dining room girl, seriously burned about the face, although still alive; cannot recover.

Anson B. Marion, owner of the building, who was under the floor when the explosion occurred, probably fatally burned, as he inhaled the flame.

Carrie McGraff, cut and badly burned.

Frank Poundstone, clerk, severely burned.

Frank Andrews, one of the proprietors, right eye knocked out and seriously burned about face and throat.

Charles Graves, Philip Weil, Jack Cahill, all plumbers, shocked and stunned; not badly injured.

Unfortunates Blown Through the Window.

The unfortunates were blown about the room in profusion, two or three going clear through the windows to the middle of the street. The floor of the entire dining room was raised and the plastering broken from the walls and ceiling. Every pane of glass in the building was broken and the four-story building is badly wrecked. The explosion took place just five minutes before the call for dinner would have been made, otherwise the room would have been filled and the loss of life would have been appalling. At 9 o'clock last night another explosion occurred in the same place as the one of the afternoon, setting fire to the already wrecked and badly demolished dining room of the Marvin house. The fire department was quickly summoned, however, and more serious damage was averted. The gas from the main pipe has finally been turned off. The proprietors of the hotel, Messrs. Frank Andrews & Bro., of Bradford, Pa., had been in charge of the Marvin house only since Jan. 1.

AN OPERATOR'S OMISSION.

Wreck on the Pittsburg and Western Caused by Forgetfulness.

PITTSBURG, Jan. 19.—A wreck took place on the Pittsburg and Western railroad yesterday thirty miles north of Allegheny. The operator at Zelienople omitted to send a message necessary for the clearing of the line. In consequence two freight trains collided, with the result that engines Nos. 90 and 108, with nine cars, were badly damaged. Engineer Hutchings and Conductor Law were slightly hurt about the arms and legs in getting clear of the wreck.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

H. W. Thompson, the Nominee to Succeed Senator Robertson, in a Bad Way.

SIDNEY, O., Jan. 19.—H. W. Thompson, nominated on Wednesday as the successor of Senator Robertson, deceased, was taken sick Friday night. He had a slight cold on the day of the convention, but did not think it of much importance. He is not able to leave his room, and has a slight fever. He had never been sick in his life, and there are those who attribute his present indisposition to his probable connection with the ill-fated Sixty-ninth assembly. He smiles at such a theory, and thinks he will be all right in a few days.

A DESPAIRING WIFE'S END.

She Hanged Herself Because Her Husband Neglected Her.

ALLIANCE, O., Jan. 19.—Mrs. Hudson Harrold, of Limaville village, six miles north of here, hanged herself Saturday evening by the use of a clothes line, which she had thrown over an apple tree limb. Domestic trouble was the cause. Her husband had been in Iowa for some time and was just home for a short visit. The wife felt neglected, and when she found he would not remain grew very melancholy. Her aged mother found her suspended from the tree.

Death of a Burned Child.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 19.—Harry, aged 2 years, son of James M. Bryant, of Lagonda, who was so badly burned last Wednesday while playing with a broom in the fire, died Saturday night from the effects of his injuries. The child's limbs and breast were burned to a crisp.

His Friends Suspect Murder.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Jan. 19.—Five thousand dollars was left by John Kerns, who, it is supposed, committed suicide by cutting his throat from ear to ear. Murder is suspected by his friends, who are investigating the matter with a view of apprehending the guilty party.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

Bert Stiles was arrested in Youngstown for burglary and confessed his guilt, directing the officers to where he hid his booty. Stiles, though under 20, has served a term in the penitentiary and been in the workhouse twice, all for larceny.

While out driving near Locust Grove, H. F. Johnson and Ed Rodrick were thrown over a steep embankment and seriously, if not fatally, injured by their horse taking fright and running away.

COLD AND STARVING.

Two Missing Cincinnati Children Found in a Vacant Room.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 19.—The mystery surrounding the disappearance of the two little children, Rachel Frisch and Charley Phillips, from their homes on College street Wednesday evening has been solved. They were found in a vacant room on the second floor of the building, No. 122 West Fifth street, Saturday evening. The little toddlers were almost famished and nearly frozen to death. The door of the room in which they were was locked on the inside and had to be forced open. They were carried home, only two squares distant, and a physician summoned. It is not known whether they strayed into the room alone and fastened themselves in, or were kidnapped by some designing person. The detectives are at work on the case.

Sudden Death of a Nobleman.

URBANA, O., Jan. 19.—Coroner Inhoff held an inquest on G. Santos, who died here suddenly Saturday, and gave heart disease as the cause of his death. Additional particulars reveal the deceased to be a nobleman. His name is "Baron Firreina de Santos," aged 60 years. He was minister from Portugal to this country in 1852, and later served seven years as a member of Portugal legation to England. Cable advices from his brother at Lisbon, Spain, instructs to hold the body.

Case of Genuine Smallpox.

URBANA, O., Jan. 19.—A case of smallpox has been discovered east of Urbana. The afflicted person, Jacob Kunkel, came here from Louisiana two weeks ago by way of Cincinnati. Physicians were called to see him, and on Saturday he was so well marked that there was no doubt of it being a genuine case of smallpox,

Large Quantity of Jewelry Stolen.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Jan. 19.—Hoffman & Fisher's jewelry store, in Arcade, was robbed of a large quantity of jewelry. The thieves got in at a back window. They were captured and proved to be Walter Burbank and Nick Gaffney, well-known toughs. The swag was captured in the thieves' pockets.

A THOUSAND DOLLARS A DAY.

Showmen Agree to Pay That for the Madison Square Garden.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Barnum & Bailey have leased the Madison Square Garden for a period of five weeks from March 22 next at $30,000, or $1,000 a day, reckoning days of exhibition only. The terms of the lease give them the privilege of making such alterations as the requirements of the show demand. There will be three equestrian rings, two elevated stages and a hippodrome track. The great height of the interior will permit the most elaborate aerial display ever seen in this country. The animals will be placed in the basement.

INEBRIETY IN PHILADELPHIA.

Six Thousand More Arrests in 1890 Than in Any Previous Year.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 19.—There were 6,000 more arrests made by the police of this city in the year 1890 than during the previous year. Superintendent of Police Lamon, in his annual report to Director Stokley, says "this increase is wholly accounted for by the arrests for intoxication and crimes directly attributed thereto. A great deal of this increase has been incurred through the licensing of a large number of wholesale liquor dealers, who are, in fact, retail dealers."

FEMALE TRADE UNIONISTS.

Young Lady Book Binders Form a Society of Their Own.

CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Fourteen young women had a secret meeting Saturday night. The girls all work in binderies, and they feared that some day they might have a grievance which would require united action, so they met to talk the matter over. At 10 o'clock they had not made up their minds how they would organize, but they said they were progressing and would launch the Young Women's Bindery union before they went home.

AFTER JUDGE ACHESON'S SHOES.

Hon. W. S. Hammond, of Altoona, Calls on the President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—W. S. Hammond, Esq., of Altoona, who is an applicant for the district judgeship in case Judge Acheson is appointed to the circuit bench, was here Saturday. He was accompanied by several members of the Blair county bar. They called on the president and Attorney General Miller in the afternoon.

REDUCTION FOR 5,000 IRON WORKERS.

Cambria Iron Company's Employes Will Get 10 Per Cent. Less.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Jan. 19.—The Cambria Iron company will in a few days or so announce a reduction of 10 per cent. in all wages from the highest to the lowest. The reduction will take place on Feb. 1. The men, while, of course, feeling blue on account of the reduction, will make no protest or resistance.

Ex-Governor Thayer a Raving Maniac.

LINCOLN, NEB., Jan. 19.—The long vigil of ex-Governor Thayer during the exciting scenes of opening the legislature, when he remained in his apartments eighty hours for the purpose of keeping out Governor Boyd, has resulted in a dangerous attack of nervous prostration. Last night the ex-governor was a raving maniac, and physicians say his condition is alarming owing to his age. He is nearly 75 years old.

Michener Not a Candidate.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan. 19.—Ex-Chairman Michener has acted upon the advice wired him on Thursday by Indianapolis friends and has notified the chairman of the Republican caucus committee that he will not be a candidate for the senatorial nomination. He also requests that his name shall not be presented to the caucus under any circumstances.

The American Glass Plant Purchased.

ANDERSON, IND., Jan. 19.—Charles L. Henry, of this city, Saturday afternoon purchased the American glass plant, paying $40,000. This plant was located here two years ago and came from Martin's Ferry, O. The plant has been idle since last spring on account of internal dissensions among the stockholders.

THE CRISIS AT HAND.

FATE OF THE ELECTIONS BILL TO BE DETERMINED IN CAUCUS.

Plans for Disposing of the Cloture Rule to be Discussed—Senator Aldrich to Call Up the Rule for Closing Debate—Republicans Now Have a Quorum of Their Own Members—No Programme for the Week—District of Columbia Appropriation Bill in the House.

WASHINGTN, Jan. 19.—The United States senate is now on the verge of breaking one of the most sacred senatorial traditions—the unwritten rule that debate on any measure many continue indefinitely. What is considered party necessity has triumphed over custom, and, though the change contemplated is only temporary in its character, it will probably lead, if it be effected, to other radical changes that will be permanent. The crisis in the senate is at hand. The fate of the elections bill will be determined at a caucus of Republican senators, to be held probably to-night to devise a mode of proceedure during the pendency of the bill. At this caucus plans for disposing of the cloture rule without delay will be discussed, and it is believed that a satisfactory arrangement will be effected, although the unsatisfactory proceedings of previous caucuses in connection with the elections bill do not hold out much hope to the advocates of the measure for a settlement of the matter. Senator Aldrich gave notice Saturday that he would on Tuesday call up the rule for closing debate on the elections bill. The provisions of this rule do not extend beyond the

End of the Present Session.

Mr. Aldrich had been instructed by a Republican caucus to report and call up the rule, and the caucus to-night will be confronted with the task of finding means for disposing of it speedily without offending the public taste. Calling up the rule for discussion on Tuesday will probably show what the Republican policy will be, and until then or until after the caucus is held it is useless to attempt to predict what the programme for the week in the senate will be. To-day the Republicans have a quorum of their own members, the return of Senators Blair, Chandler and Farwell insuring this, and consequently there is no likelihood that the Democrats will, as a last resort, attempt to break a quorum by leaving the chamber.

In the House

the District of Columbia appropriation bill is likely to occupy the time and attention of representatives for the greater part of the week. Mr. Hopkins will endeavor to have the bill to reclassify and fix the salaries of clerks in the railway mail service considered, and Mr. Perkins will claim the floor for action on the bill reported from the committee on Indian affairs to ratify and confirm the agreements with certain tribes of Indians. As soon as the District appropriation bill is out of the way Mr. Boutelle will call up the naval appropriation bill.

Instructed to Vote for Ingalls.

ATCHISON, KAN., Jan. 19.—A mass meeting of Republicans was held here Saturday evening at which resolutions were adopted instructing State Senator Ellston, from this senatorial district, to vote for the re-election of Senator Ingalls. Mr. Ellston had announced his intention of voting against Mr. Ingalls.

Explosion in a Brewery.

LAWRENCEBURG, IND., Jan. 19.—There was an explosion in the Crescent brewery, Aurora, Saturday afternoon. Two men named Swift and Pfeister were killed and four others seriously wounded.

There are
many white soaps,
each
represented to be
"just as good as the Ivory."
They are not,
but like
all counterfeits,
they lack
the peculiar
and remarkable
qualities of
the genuine.
Ask for
Ivory Soap
and
insist upon having it.
'Tis sold everywhere.

Wolff's ACME Blacking

IS WATERPROOF.
A HANDSOME POLISH.
A LEATHER PRESERVER.
NO BRUSHING REQUIRED.
Shoes can be washed daily.
Used by men, women and children.



Mamma, let us buy this antique table; it has an ugly color now but I can make it look like Mahogany or Rosewood and it will be just lovely. I'll fix it to suit you. 25 cents worth of

TRADE PIK-RON MARK
A PAINT THAT ONE CAN SEE THROUGH. TRY IT.

will do the work. Sold Everywhere.
WOLFF & RANDOLPH, Philadelphia.

To All Whom it May Concern.

It concerns everybody to know that money can be saved in making purchases at

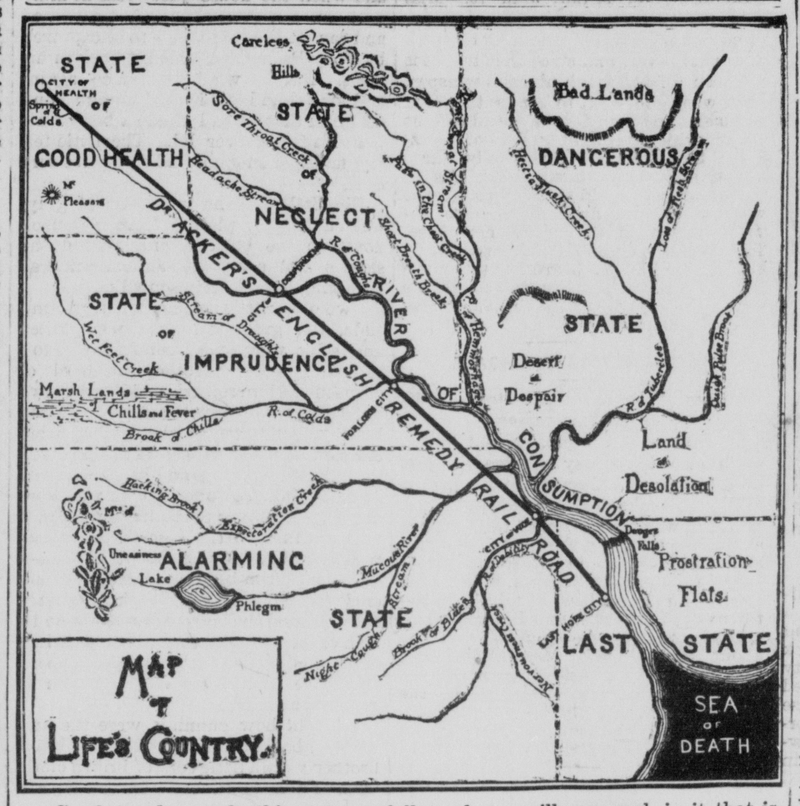
THE STAR CLOTHING HOUSE

J. R. Oppenheimer will soon start on his trip to Europe and is bound to sell his whole stock of Clothing, Hats, and Gent's Furnishing Goods, without regard to sacrifice. Call at

J. R. OPPENHEIMER'S

No. 26 South Erie Street, Massillon.

Don't Buy Until You See Young's Stock of Buggies



Gentle reader, study this map carefully and you will see much in it that is interesting and more that is profitable. Look at the States, the Mountains, the Rivers and the Cities, and you will see a great Object Lesson. You will see the great River of Consumption, rising in the Spring of Colds, flowing down to the Sea of Death and dividing the State of Imprudence, the State of Neglect, the Dangerous State, and the Alarming State. You will see many rivers emptying into it as it flows, and you will see one Great Air Line Railroad parallel with its banks. This Railroad is Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It differs from any other railroad known to the world, in that it carries passengers in only one direction, namely, back to the State of Good Health, where the climate is delightful, the air balmy, the scenery charming and the inhabitants happy.

There is every reason why those who live in the State of Good Health should remain there, but for various causes many carelessly embark upon the dangerous river which rises in its upper part. Down the stream they drift on pleasure or business, careless of their destination and thoughtless of the results. On they go, past the City of Despondency, still thoughtless. Now they round a dangerous bend and looking down the stream, they see the towers of the Forlorn City. Careless traveller, why will you continue? Stop and take the first train on this Air Line Railroad back to the City of Health. And yet how few stop. Here the current widens and other rivers pour in their floods. What is this land through which the river now runs? It is low, marshy and cold. How different from the scenery of the State of Good Health. Why journey farther? Look! directly ahead is the City of Woe. But the trains from this locality do not run so frequently as farther up the river, and yet you can be taken speedily back. But hark! What is that noise—that sullen roar? It sounds like falls and the swift current shows too plainly that such is the case. "Can we not land now?" they ask in despair. No. The current is too swift, the falls too near, the power of resistance too feeble. Over the falls, down to the depths! Surely it must be death for all. But no, here are a few, a very few, who have struggled to the shore, and with despairing efforts have clambered upon its banks. How desolate they are and yet just below is the City of Last Hope. Few ever reach it to return; few who go over the falls survive, while the on-rushing torrent, cruel and cold, rolls down to the dark Sea of Death.

DR. ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY,

For Coughs, Colds and Consumption, is beyond question the greatest of all modern remedies. It will stop a Cough in one night. It will check a Cold in a single day. It will prevent Croup, relieve Asthma and cure Consumption if taken in time.

"YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO BE WITHOUT IT."

A 25c. bottle may save you $100 in doctors' bills—may save your life! Ask your druggist for it, or write to W. H. HOOKER & CO., 46 W. BROADWAY, NEW YORK, for descriptive pamphlet.

SEE GEORGE SNYDER

Before you buy your

BOOTS AND SHOES

MATTHEW BROS
HEADQUARTERS FOR
GROCERIES
—AND—
PROVISIONS.
—ALL THE—
Best Grades of Flour

BUTTER, EGGS and POULTRY a Specialty.
All Class of Goods in their Season.
Mill Feed and Bailed Hay.
No. 2 W. Tremont St.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

We believe we have a thorough knowledge of all the ins and outs of newspaper advertising, gained in an experience of twenty-five years of successful business; we have the best equipped office, by far the most comprehensive as well as the most convenient system of

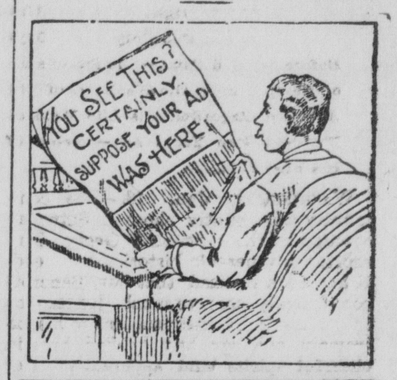
Geo. P. Rowell & Co.
Newspaper Advertising Bureau,
10 Spruce St., New York.

placing contracts and verifying their fulfillment and unrivaled facilities in all departments for careful and intelligent service. We offer our services to all who contemplate spending $10 or $10,000 in newspaper advertising and who wish to get the most and best advertising for the money.

E. D. Wileman,
ENGINEER & SURVEYOR,
OFFICE IN WARWICK BLOCK
All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box 47
Real Estate bought, sold and exchanged.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE WANT COLUMN.



Any "want" under the sun not to exceed four lines, announced in this department for 25 cents a week.

LOST.

ROBE—On East Main street, between Erie and Locust, a woolen buggy robe Leave at the Independent Co.'s store, or at 2 Locust St 10-6t

PLASTERING TOOLS—Between State street and Bridgeport, a bag containing plastering tools. Finder please return to Cyrus Smith, 80 State street and receive reward. 13 6t

PACKAGE—A package containing some pieces of velvet and satin. Finder will please leave at Independent Co.'s store. 17-6t

WATCH—Somewhere between St Mary's Catholic church and the residence of the late Joseph Kitchen, a gent's gold watch and chain. The finder will be rewarded by returning to the Independent Co's store 14-6t

Please mention The Independent in replying to advertisements under this head,

FOUND.

KEY—A large folding key. Owner can have same by calling at this office and paying for this notice. 9-6t

PUPPY—Yellow puppy about 2 months old; Owner can have same by calling at Russell & Co's office and paying for this notice 14-tf

PLEASE mention The Independent in replying to advertisements under this head.

FOR RENT.

APARTMENTS—Two apartments of 5 rooms each on Musgingum street also one 4 room house on stonequarry hill. Inquire of W. A. Pletzeker 12-tf

HOUSE—House of five rooms in good repair and within five minutes walk of postoffice. Inquire at 121 West Main Street. 15-tf

HOUSE—The elegant property, No. 218 East Main street, now occupied by Geo. Goodhart Possession given on two week's notice. L. Gise. 8-tf

STOREROOM—Small storeroom for rent, on W. Main street, formerly Bucher's office; Call at Graze & Sonnhalter's grocery 14-tf

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WANTED

BOY—Fourteen to eighteen years old to deliver goods. Address "D" this office. 17-tf

GIRL—A good girl to do general housework, Apply at 117 S. East street. 7-6t

HOUSE—To rent a small house well located near center of town. Address J. A, Beattie, 46 Park street, 14-tf

MAN—For delivery wagon, bright, active and reliable and willing to work. Address "D" this office. 17-tf

WASH-WOMAN—Wanted at Jan Kees laundry, apply at once. Minich Block. 12-

WANTED—An active, reliable man—salary $70 to $80 monthly, with increase to represent in his own section a responsible New York House. References. MANUFACTURER, Lock Box 1585, New York.

THE Independent will appreciate mention of this column, by those who find it useful.

FOR SALE.

CORD WOOD—Sawed in any lengths for stoves furnaces or factories. Leave orders at Warth Bros. grocery, 23 West Main street. 8 6t

FURNACE—Suitable for small house, Also small stove cheap. H. C. Brown. 3-6

HOUSE—The Schworm homestead on Prospect street; house of 11 rooms and a stable. Lot 94½x150 Call upon or address, Mrs. Maria Smith, North Hill street, or G. L. Schworm, 22 South Erie street, Massillon, O. 17-6t

HOUSE—A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premisis. 16-6t

HOUSE—A ten room house on E. Main street, No. 268, in good repair also good our building. Any one wishing to purchase should call at premises. G W. Castleman. 24-tf

HOUSEHOLD GOODS—On account of leaving town, I will sell at private sale all my household goods Sale afternoons from 1 to 5 o'clock for ten days, beginning Jan. 12. Mrs. Joseph Glessner, 118 East Main Street. 3-6t

JERSEY COWS—Two first-class Jersey cows, Apply to P. G. Albright Administrator. 18

LIMESTONE—Crushed limestone for walks, in large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner. 319-tf

MODERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. Paul. 19-6t

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

THE
WEST SIDE
GROCERY
Is the best place to purchase anything and everything in the
Grocery
—AND—
Provision
Line. In addition to the especial convenience to those who live west of the river, we make prices that make it an object to come from all corners of the city.
Goods may be ordered by telephone, and will be promptly delivered.
ED. HERING,
132 and 134, West Tremont Street.
MASSILLON, O

TO THE PUBLIC.
JAN KEE
Formerly with Tun Kee in the Minich block and No. 1 East Tremont street, has started a first-class
New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street
Where he will be prepared to show to the public the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.
New Shirts, 18c, 2 for 25c Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c Ladies Collars, 2 for 5c. Cuffs, 4c.

BANCROFT DEAD.

THE HISTORIAN PASSED AWAY QUIET AND PEACEFUL AT THE AGE OF 91.

He Had Caught a Slight Cold and Was Confined to His Bed Only Three Days Before the End Came—The First Cause of Death Simply the Weakness of Old Age—He Regarded His Life Work as Finished Two Years Ago—Sketch of His Busy Life.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—The community was greatly shocked Saturday evening by the news that George Bancroft, the venerable historian, was dead. It had been realized that Mr. Bancroft could hardly survive much longer the increasing infirmities incident to his extremely old age, but he had been in cheerful spirits and apparently better health this year since his return from Newport than for several seasons past, so that his death was sudden and unexpected. He had been sick only two days, and was on the streets but three days ago. On Thursday he took to his bed as a matter of precaution, but was taken seriously ill Friday. From that time until Saturday afternoon he failed rapidly, and all day hovered between life and death. The end was quiet and peaceful and came after a period of unconsciousness lasting twenty-four hours.



HON. GEORGE BANCROFT.

The first cause of death was simply the weakness of old age. His son was present at the bedside when the aged historian died. It was decided Saturday evening to hold the funeral services at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning in St. John's Episcopal church. The interment will take place at Dorchester, Mass., where Mr. Bancroft's wife is buried.

The Historian's Daily Life.

Mr. Bancroft was always fond of outdoor exercise, which contributed in a large measure to his good health and prolonged life. After his horseback rides he regularly walked about the city attended by an old servant. He lived in a large old-fashioned, double house on H street in a fashionable neighborhood, and his garden here, as at Newport, was filled with choice roses, in which flower he delighted. He regarded his life work as finished two years ago, and of late had done no literary work. During the last decade he had revised his great work, the history of the United States, going over it in a severely critical style and eliminating the flowers of rhetoric in the earlier work. His last production was a history of the formation of the constitution. He undertook to write a history of President Polk's administration, in whose cabinet he served as secretary of the navy, but was compelled to abandon it.

Sketch of His Busy Life.

George Bancroft, son of the Rev. Aaron Bancroft, was born at Worcester, Mass., on Oct. 3, 1800. He entered Harvard college in 1813 and graduated with distinguished honors in 1817. In 1818 he went to Germany, entered the University of Gottingen, and studied history, philology, etc., under Heeren, Bunsen and other distinguished professors. He took the degree of doctor of philosophy at Gottingen in 1820, after which he spent some time in Berlin and Heidelberg in the society of Wilhelm Von Humboldt, Varnhagen Von Ense and Schlosser. Having returned home in 1822 he served as Greek tutor in Harvard college for one year, published a volume of poems in 1823 and opened the Round Hill school at Northampton. In 1824 he produced a translation of Heeren's "Reflections on the Politics of Anchient Greece."

His Reputation was Increased

by the first volume of his "History of the Colonization of the United States," which appeared in 1834. He had been an active supporter of the Democratic party for many years, when he was appointed in 1838 collector of customs for the port of Boston. The third volume of his history appeared in 1840. He was the Democratic candidate for the office of governor of Massachusetts in 1844, but was not elected. In March, 1845, he became secretary of the navy in the cabinet of Mr. Polk. He established a naval school at Annapolis and improved the astronomical observatory at Washington. In 1846 he

Resigned His Place in the Cabinet

and was appointed minister plenipotentiary to England. During his residence in Europe he examined the archives and libraries of Paris and London, in which he collected materials for his great work on American history. He returned to the United States in 1849, became a resident of the city of New York and devoted himself to literary pursuits. He contributed to The North American Review. In 1852 he published the fourth volume of his history, which is the first volume of the "History of the Revolution." This work has since been concluded, the last volume, the tenth, having been published in 1874.

Oration in Honor of Lincoln.

In February, 1866, he delivered at Washington, in the presence of congress and the foreign corps, an oration in honor of Abraham Lincoln, which attracted much attention. He was appointed minister to the court of Berlin in 1867, and negotiated with the North German confederation a treaty by which Germans who emigrate and become naturalized citizens of the United States are released from their allegiance to the government of their native country. He was recalled from this mission, at his own request, in 1874.

President of the Historical Association.

In an address of his, which was given at the third meeting of the American Historical association, of which he was president, at Washington, April 27, 1886, and afterward published in The Magazine of American History for June of the same year, Mr. Bancroft wrote, what will now be read with especial interest and solemnity, viz: "I was trained to look upon life here as a season for labor. Being more than fourscore years old, I know the time for my release will soon come. Conscious of being near the shore of eternity, I await without impatience and without dread the beckoning of the hand which will summon me to rest."

FIVE BUILDINGS FIRED.

Two Attempts Made to Destroy the Town of Covington.

SIOUX CITY, IA., Jan. 19.—Great excitement is aroused by two attempts made late Saturday night to fire the town of Covington, Neb., across the Missouri from here. Five buildings were fired of nine prepared, all of them being dives communicating with other buildings, chiefly wooden, and in each case augur holes had been bored through the sidings and oil poured in. Preparations had been made to destroy the pontoon bridge to cut off assistance from here, and it was at first believed to be the work of vigilantes to destroy and rid the place of bad resorts and tough characters. Bob Satter, alias "Beefsteak Bob," a notorious character, was arrested on strong circumstantial evidence. Covington is patrolled by sixteen special policemen with Winchester rifles.

A FORTUNATE SNEEZE.

It Restores to a Michigan Maiden Her Long Lost Voice.

CONSTANTINE, MICH., Jan. 19.—Miss Elizabeth Catton, of this place, lost her voice seven years ago through an attack of scarlet fever, and since that time has not been able to speak above a whisper. Last week she went to her brother's, in Kalkaska, to stay a few days and caught a cold which brought on a fit of sneezing. She sneezed continually three hours, and when it was over was so weak that she could scarcely stand, but was overjoyed to find that she had entirely recovered the use of her voice. The doctors are unable to account for it, but those who have heard her talk since her return, and she has talked all the time since in joy over the recovery, have no doubt of its reality.

TWO ELECTRIC RAILROADS.

Both Are to be Constructed in the Coke Regions Next Season.

SCOTTDALE, PA., Jan. 19.—A mammoth electric railway scheme has just been revealed. James Cochran, the millionaire coke operator, and Col. A. J. Hill, the wealthy citizen of Dawson, are at the head of the movement. The proposed line is to be built from Dawson, near Broadford, to Juniata, a new coke town near Connellsville, taking in the towns of Vanderbilt and Liberty. The capital stock of the company will be about $200,000, and Messrs. Hill and Cochran head the list of subscriptions with $50,000. The line will be the largest yet built in the coke regions.

TRESSES OFF WITHOUT A TWITCH.

Some Slick Work of a Jack the Shearer in Brooklyn.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 19.—How the mysterious Jack the Shearer, who has despoiled other victims similarily of late, managed Saturday to clip away half of the luxuriant braided locks of 17-year-old Sylvia McMurray while she stood looking into a shop window in Powers street without so much as causing her to notice the twitch, is what puzzles the police. Miss McMurray is the daughter of a Leonard street artist. Her sister Carrie had her beautiful blonde tresses similarly despoiled in a crowded street nine years ago. Misses Lulu Hewitt and Florence Billings have been likewise robbed of beautiful heads of hair within the past few days.

Claims to be Heir to Millions.

BUTTE, MONT., Jan. 19.—Eugene Davis, of East Saginaw, Mich., arrived here yesterday. He claims to be the only legitimate son of the late A. J. Davis, who died here nearly a year ago worth $15,000,000. Mrs. A. J. Davis, Eugene's mother, keeps a saloon at East Saginaw. She claims she was married to the Montana millionaire a half century ago in Maine. About 1850 they moved to Iowa, and a few years after Mr. Davis deserted her. She went to East Saginaw with her son. Eugene Davis is about 40 years old, with sandy hair and florid complexion. He came to attend the hearing for the probate of the alleged will in February, and says his scheme is to trust to the present contestants of the will to break it and then he proposes to come in and get the property.

The Maladministration of Indian Affairs.

OMAHA, NEB., Jan. 19.—Over 3,000 people tried to gain admittance to the First Presbyterian church last night, where a meeting was being held to discuss the maladministration of Indian affairs. T. H. Tibbles and his talented Indian wife, "Bright Eyes," who were sent to Pine Ridge during the recent trouble by the Omaha World-Herald for the purpose of investigating the treatment of the Indians, both spoke, as did also the Rev. W. J. Harsha and the Rev. Joseph T. Duryea. The Indian Rights association, of this city, will memoralize congress to place the Indian agencies permanently in the hands of the war department.

To Test the Validity of the McKinley Bill.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 19.—Suit was filed here Saturday by the John Shillito company, wholesale dry goods, to test the validity of the McKinley tariff bill. It is to recover $646.12 collected under the new tariff law, which is claimed to be unconstitutional because of the provisions of the third section, that congress had no right to give bounties to sugar growers, and because discretionary power is left the president to suspend the provisions under the reciprocity clause.

A Fair Commissioner Resigns.

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 19.—Hon. John L. Mitchell, congressman-elect, Saturday resigned the position of commissioner of the world's fair for this state. Hon. David M. Benjamin, of Milwaukee, has been recommended to President Harrison by Governor Peck for the position.

Two Men Killed at a Fire.

PALMER, MASS., Jan. 19.—The main portion of the Palmer mills, at Three rivers, was destroyed by fire Saturday. Two employes, Elijah Fraine and Joseph Babcock, were crushed to death beneath a pile of falling bricks.

FASHIONS FOR BABIES.

OLIVE HARPER TAKES THEATRICAL INFANTS FOR HER MODELS.

She Says They Are Correctly and Tastefully Dressed—Pictures That Show Just How They Are Attired—Descriptions That Will Aid the Understanding.

[Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The reason why I continue to take the baby actresses and actors for models in children's fashions is because they are well clad, comfortably, and in the latest and most picturesque style. There was a cunning little tot of a boy in a plaited gray suit, who danced a clog dance at an entertainment recently, with his chubby little feet incased in stogy boots and leggins,



BABY KERNELL AND TWO LITTLE STARS.

and when the house just "rose at him" with cries of bravo he got frightened and ran off the stage, only to be captured by Tony Pastor and brought back in his arms. But he wouldn't dance again, and kicked and squirmed, though Tony told him that he had made a bigger hit than his father ever did. The little fellow had had enough, and felt quite sure of it.

The little dress he wore was of gray, fine check, and plaited from the neck down to the bottom, and around the sleeves and neck was an embroidered trimming done in crimson silk.

Two other little stars of small magnitude, but great brilliancy, who recited and sang, were most comfortably costumed, one in a Mother Hubbard of crimson cashmere, trimmed with two bands of black velvet, and with dainty little velvet bows at the neck. A big crimson felt hat had bows of black velvet. Black stockings and bronze slippers completed the costume, which was wonderfully becoming to the little wearer.

The other little star—little comet rather, for she danced about like one—wore an Edison blue cashmere, embroidered with red, with a narrow knife plaited ruffle around the bottom of red silk and a sash of the same. She wore red stockings and the dearest little bronze slippers. Of course these were changed later to good, stout shoes.

But, oh! how cunning were the two little babes in the wood! The brave brother wore a little coat of brown cloth, with black astrakhan fur cuffs and collar and a little knit woollen cap. Leggins of the same material as the coat incased his plump legs, and a pair of mittens protected the dimpled hands, one of which was clinched to repel the wicked enemy, and the other was occupied in leading the little sister, who, in her soft, pearl gray coat, bordered with white Thibet fur, looked sweet enough to eat for dessert after a bountiful dinner. There were pockets to keep the dimpled hands warm in, and leggins of blue velvet and a cozy little hood to match.

The two little mites told the tearful tale of the "Babes in the Wood" in alternate verses, and their baby voices reached the farthest corners, and all these little tots wore knit under garments of fine wool, which is light and warm, and their drawers reach the tops of their shoes. I only wish that every mother's child in America could be dressed as well and tastefully.

It seems as if there would never be an end to the novelties that are always being shown, and one hardly chronicles one thing before there is a still newer one to see.

Yesterday I found a new fabric for dancing dresses, which is a gauze, with coarse interwoven threads of a different color, and as if dropped carelessly over these are lozenge spots of black velvet, the whole being very pretty. The groundwork or gauze foundation is in the soft, tender tints of mauve, heliotrope, peach-



THE BABES IN THE WOOD.

blow pink, and blue and green, and the threads are in deep contrast and darker color, so that they form a sort of apparent lattice work, and these black velvet dots over all.

Some lovely patterns of white gauze have only gold threads and gold dots, and when this is made up over white satin or pale pink it is too pretty for a suitable comparison.

A few samples of spring silks are shown under the seal of secrecy, but I will tell what I have seen to my sister women, only begging them to tell no one whence they got their information, so that nimble fingers can hasten and embroider a gown that will be just the very newest thing out by the time they can finish them. These are beautiful black China and India silks with embroidered patterns on them in colors that are perfect art pictures.

OLIVE HARPER.

CONTEMPLATED JAIL DELIVERY.

Keys, Saws of All Kinds and a Revolver Found, and a Confession Follows.

WICHITA, KAN., Jan. 19.—A contemplated wholesale jail delivery of murderers and probably murder itself was discovered Saturday by the sheriff of Sedgwick county, and the conspirators within the jail and those who were assisting from the outside are now in the black hole. The sheriff, it seems, suspected his prisoners, and while on watch he heard the rasping of a file. With the aid of the jailer he made a thorough search of the cells and their inmates, and brought to light keys and saws of all kinds and a big revolver, which was tied closely to one of the murderer's groins. There were four prisoners in the cell where the tools were found—three murderers from Oklahoma and one man in for petit larceny. The latter turned state's evidence and gave the names of those on the outside assisting in the proposed delivery, and as a consequence W. Hart, of Oklahoma City, and Palmerries, of Arkansas City, both old jail birds, have been arrested and incarcerated. On one of them was found a letter from the jail giving a sketch of the interior, referring to the contemplated escape, and also stating that any one barring the escape of the prisoners, once they got out of their cell, would be shot down.

Three Persons Charged with Murder.

LINCOLN, NEB., Jan. 19.—Three persons are under arrest charged with complicity in the recent murder of Mr. John Sheedy. They are Mr. Sheedy's widow, her lover and a negro. It is said the latter made a confession in substance that Mrs. Sheedy hired him to kill her husband; that he was to be paid $500 if he even succeeded in injuring Sheedy so as to confine him to his bed. He was also to receive $15,000 if death was instantaneous or if death resulted from injuries inflicted. It is rumored Mrs. Sheedy remarked: "If you lay him up in bed I'll do the rest." The body of the murdered man will be exhumed and examined by experts.

Levying Tribute from Joint Keepers.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN., Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the board of police commissioners Saturday afternoon, Police Sergeant Murphy produced proof that Chief of Police McFarland and Policemen James Robertson and James Sutton had been levying tribute from joint keepers who were evading the prohibitory law. The men have been dismissed from the force. More dismissals may follow, and the lopping off of heads has caused a sensation. Chief of Police McFarland has been noted for his apparent aggressiveness in enforcing the law.

Tried to Take Possession of a Train.

DEADWOOD, S. D., Jan. 19.—A desperate but unorganized attempt was made here Saturday evening by 160 railroad grade strikers to take possession of the Fremont, Elk Horn and Missouri Valley passenger train as it was about to depart for the east. The men had quit work on the grade, claiming that the company was not keeping its contract with them, both as to the amount to be paid for work and the cost of board. The train started, every platform filled with deputy sheriffs.

Catarrh
In the head
Is a constitutional
Disease, and requires
A constitutional remedy
Like Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Which purifies the blood,
Makes the weak strong,
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